

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: SREF  
SUBJECT: VIETNAMESE REFUGEES ON AMERICAN MOHAWK

REF: (A) LONDON 14366 (B) HONG KONG 12397

FCO HONG KONG AND GENERAL DEPARTMENT HEAD MCLAREN  
TELEPHONED EMBASSY SEPTEMBER 7 TO RELAY THE DECISION  
OF THE HONG KONG GOVERNMENT (HKG) IN THE AMERICAN  
MOHAWK CASE AS DESCRIBED REF B. HE SAID THAT BEYOND  
MAKING HKG AWARE OF OUR APPROACHES TO THE BRITISH  
GOVERNMENT IN LONDON AND WASHINGTON, THE FCO HAD  
PLAYED NO ROLE IN THE DECISION, TAKEN BY HKG LARGELY  
ON ITS OWN. MCLAREN EXPRESSED HIS SATISFACTION WITH  
THE "COMPROMISE" AGREED TO IN HONG KONG. HE ADDED  
THAT HKG WOULD BE IN A MOST UNCOMFORTABLE POSITION  
IF IT PROVED IMPOSSIBLE TO RESETTLE THE 171 REFUGEES  
WITHIN 30 DAYS.

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